

SERGES are included in this REDUCTION sale of ours. Every lined and half-lined Blue and Black Serge Suit in the store is offered at ONE-FOURTH OFF of regular prices. CLAY DIAGONAL Coats and Vests, Rough and Smooth CHEVIOTS all at same discount. And every MIXED Color SACK and CUTAWAY Suit of every description at ONE-THIRD less than original low prices. ALL BICYCLE SUITS, all SEPARATE TROUSERS for Men, all CHILDREN'S SUITS and all SHOES for everybody at ONE-FOURTH off of regular prices.

There's a discount of **33 1/2 PER CENT** from the marked price of every STRAW HAT in the store.

One lot of Children's fancy colored Canton Straw Suits in blue, white, brown and red, and combinations of blue and white, brown and white and red and white. Were 75c and \$1. Take them at 15c each.

ROBINSON, CHERY & CO.,

12th and F Sts. Clothes Furnishings, Hats, Shoes.

They May Copy

our methods and utter our famous phrases, but do you notice none of them try to copy our prices. They can't. If they name the same figures they fail to give you the same values.

Takes the strength of a commercial Hercules to make such offerings as these possible.

Oak Chamber Suits.....	\$12.75	Leatherette Couches.....	\$9.75
Oak Chiffoniers.....	6.00	Baby Carriages.....	4.00
Oak Hall Stands.....	4.50	Straw Matting (by the roll) per yd.....	10c
Oak Costumers.....	75c	6-piece Plush Parlor Suits.....	30.00
Oak Refrigerators.....	8.00	Framed Pictures.....	25c
Oak Extension Tables (cluster legs).....	5.00	Decorated Toilet Sets.....	2.00
Oak Sideboards.....	8.50	Decorated Dinner Sets.....	9.00
Oak Dining Chairs.....	75c	Galvanized Garbage Cans.....	30c
Oak Dressing Tables.....	5.50	Watering Pots.....	12c
Oak Parlor Tables.....	75c	Milk Cans.....	8c
Oak Wardrobes.....	9.00	Brass and Iron Beds.....	4.50
Oak China Closets.....	10.00	Hair Mattresses (and not goat hair, either).....	7.00
Oak Baskets.....	1.00		
Oak Wardrobe Beds.....	25.00		
Box Couches.....	8.50		

"YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD."

HOUSE AND HERRMANN,
Liberal Furnishers,
N. E. Corner Seventh and I Streets.

Clothing, too,

is being sacrificed during our Rebuilding Sale.

YES, we prefer to lose on every suit and every pair of pants rather than let the goods be injured by the dust and dirt. We've a splendid stock and it seems a pity to let it go at such prices, but first loss is best. This is a grand opportunity to fit yourself out for the Summer, and remember we give credit on Clothing as well as Furniture—at these reduced prices, too; and they are much lower than you will find anywhere else for cash down.

Men's Stylish Suits.....	\$5.50
Men's All-wool Suits.....	\$6.50
Men's Fine Dress Suits.....	\$8.50
Men's Fine Black and Blue Serge Suits.....	\$7.50
Boys' Very Durable Wash Suits.....	\$5.00
Children's Suits.....	\$1.00
Children's Fine All-wool Suits.....	\$2.75



Mayer & Pettit,

Reliable Outfitters,
415 SEVENTH ST.

The Earth on Wheels.

LOTS 30x120 at TAKOMA PARK
\$80 each.

Including a High Grade Bicycle.

Small payment down and \$2.00 per week.

CUNNINGHAM, 614 F Street N. W.

MUST PAY MORE FOR NOISE

Price of Chinese Firecrackers Takes a Rise.

FEW ARE NOW IMPORTED

Good American Fireworks Are Just as Cheap as Ever—Revised List of Celebratory Prices—Some Changes Made in the Original Selections. Two Precincts Left Out.

The boy who shoots the firecracker has not counted on a prospective rise in the price of this Fourth of July gun. The increased price it is understood will only affect the Chinese cracker, or what is known as the "Chow King" variety. This is the cracker of the fathers, the kind that was shot off by Washington, Jefferson, Monroe, Adams, and their sons and daughters, anywhere they chose.

This Chow King cracker is the little red popper, and is put up in "packs." Their usual price for many seasons has been 2 cents per pack, and a pack or two is all that some youngsters can afford, even on the day when they blow themselves most extensively. Most boys, except those whose fathers or other well-disposed persons, give them money with a fuse to it, do not expect to shoot largely such things as mines, stars, willow trees, red tailed fire, variegated fountains, electric flowers, Jack in a box, meteor rockets, and all those beauties that come and go high. They are satisfied if they have plenty of Chow Kings, at 2 cents a hundred.

CAUSE OF THE ADVANCE. Now, it is said, that by the Fourth, these things will go up to 3 cents a pack. One dealer said so yesterday, and another one said that even if the little red things went up to 3 cents he would sell Roman candles with six shots for 1 cent. It is doubtful if these compromises will compensate for the lack of the real, old, revolutionary, colonial, head-splitting cracker, 2 cents a bunch, and 200 in a bunch.

The dealers who were spoken to yesterday said that perhaps after all it would not be necessary to raise the price, although it was a fact that the Chinese article was not as numerous as it ought to be at this time. The dealers will probably make their leading article this year this little cracker and it is the leading article of which the general consumer gets the benefit in a reduced or maintained price.

DEALERS HAVE THE BULGE. It is well known that fire crackers and that kind of thing are not bought in advance for two reasons. One is that the fire-cracker people don't like them in the house, and the other is that the boys manage to shoot them away before the day arrives which they celebrate. For this reason there is no chance for them to get ahead of the dealers by putting in a stock against hard times.

It will, nevertheless, be good news to them that the sellers of the most generally used celebrator will endeavor to keep the price down to two cents, whether they shoot them off in the parks, or set the whole business on fire and throw it over into their neighbors' yard.

WHERE YOU MAY CELEBRATE. The Commissioners yesterday revised their list of public spaces where the promiscuous discharge of fireworks on the Fourth is to be permitted. In this revision the First and Ninth precincts, respectively, are omitted, no available public squares having been found there.

The list is as follows: Second Precinct—Square 670, New York Avenue, North Capitol, First and O streets northwest. Third Precinct—South part of old observatory grounds, within limits prescribed by the medical director in charge thereof; Reservation 21, three acres, E street and West, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

Fourth Precinct—Square 637, between E street and Virginia Avenue, and Third and Fourth and half streets southwest; reservation 113, two acres, between Seventh and Ninth streets, Maryland and Virginia avenues southwest.

Fifth Precinct—Square 1037, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets, Massachusetts Avenue and B street southeast; square 1045, between Pennsylvania and Georgia avenues, Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets southeast; reservation 19, from K to L, and Fifth to Market square southeast, three acres; reservation 126, between Ninth and Eleventh streets, Virginia and Georgia avenues southeast; Pennsylvania Avenue, from Ninth street to the Eastern Branch.

Sixth Precinct—Reservation 77, circle, one-third acre, at the intersection of G and First streets, Massachusetts and New Jersey avenues northwest.

Seventh Precinct—Old Morton place, west side of Evans' mill dam.

Eighth Precinct—Petworth, Brightwood Avenue and Rock Creek Church road; Blue Bird Hill, new reservoir, south of Soldiers' Home.

OLDEST INHABITANTS. The Association of the Oldest Inhabitants will have a public meeting tomorrow to celebrate the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence at their room, No. 2, Corcoran Building, commencing at 10 o'clock, with the reading of the Declaration of Independence, by Dr. J. T. Howard. The association is willing "America." The president of the society, Mr. John Marbury, will deliver the address, and some other members are expected to make remarks. The meeting will close by singing "Auld Lang Syne."

Reduction in Rate to Bay Ridge. The rate to Bay Ridge, the beautiful excursion resort on the Chesapeake Bay, has been reduced this season to 50 cents for adults, except for evening train a rate of 75 cents will be charged, with rebate of 25 cents after coupon is stamped by ticket agent at Bay Ridge. Half rate for children between the ages of 5 and 12 years. Trains leave B. & O. depot, week days, 9:15 a. m. and 4:25 p. m. Sundays, 9:35 a. m., 1:30 and 3:15 p. m. Jet-6-w.r.84f

Big Time and Plenty of Fireworks At Mt. Vernon Park, July 4. Dancing all day. Games and amusements every description. Take electric cars, 13:12 and Pa. ave.

Elphonso Youngs Co.

We want a larger trade on Butter. We have a large one, but we ought to have a larger, selling the finest Elgin Creamery Butter to be had for

25c pound.

We control the entire output of a large Elgin Creamery which is celebrated for the deliciousness of its production—and it is shipped direct to us. We guarantee that no finer can be had.

Elphonso Youngs Co., Wholesale and Retail Grocers,

428 9th St., bet. D and E. Closed July 4th all day. Closed daily at 4, including Saturdays.

This is the Great Day

Every minute is precious—because the buying is going to start this morning with a RUSH! It's your last chance to get a new suit for the Fourth. The crowds of buyers have made great inroads in our stock during the past two days—and the DANGER POINT has been reached. Our whole stock is on the bargain table—everything goes—MUST go between now and the 15th. On that date this firm DISSOLVES! E. M. Dyrenforth, junior partner, severs his connection and accounts must be squared in CASH! There are hundreds of suits here this morning that will be GONE before night—HURRY!

Every Suit and Pair of Trousers

At Half Marked Price 50c ON THE DOLLAR!

\$4.00	For your choice of all Suits that were \$8. Cassimeres and Cheviots in plain and mixed colors. Sizes are nearly complete.	\$10.00	For your choice of all \$20 Suits. Clay Diagonals, Fancy Worsteds, Belgian Serges, &c. All cut in the latest fashions. The season's neatest shades.
\$5.00	For your choice of any \$10 Suit in stock. Cheviots, Cassimeres, Worsteds, &c., in gray, black, blue, and fancy effects. Fit guaranteed.	\$12.50	Buy any of the \$25 Suits. High-grade Worsteds, Clay Diagonals, and imported Scotch Cheviots. The cream of our summer stock.
\$7.50	For your choice of all \$15 Suits. Sacks and Cutaways in gray, blue, and black Serge, mixed Cheviots, &c. Colors guaranteed.	Trousers!	\$2 for all \$4 qualities—\$2.50 for all \$5 qualities—\$3 for all \$6 qualities—\$4 for all \$8 qualities—\$4.50 for all \$9 qualities.

M. DYRENFORTH & CO.

621 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE N. W.

Under Metropolitan Hotel.

Our Only Store.

STILL SMASHING PRICES!

Everything Goes! Two Dollars for One! That's what we offer you, because we are selling everything at exactly half price.

Men's \$6 Suits at.....	\$3	Men's \$5 Pants.....	\$2.50
Men's \$8 Suits at.....	\$4	Men's \$4 Pants.....	\$2.00
Men's \$10 Suits at.....	\$5	Men's \$2 Pants.....	\$1.00
Men's \$12 Suits at.....	\$6	Men's \$1 Alpaca Coats.....	.50
Men's \$16 Suits at.....	\$8	Men's 50c Linen Coats.....	.25
Men's \$20 Suits at.....	\$10		

Children's Clothing on the Same Basis.

H. Friedlander & Bro.
Corner Ninth and E Streets. The Busy Corner.

We're hustling them out.

Our magnificent stock of

Summer Light-weight Clothing

is rapidly being distributed all over town. Yes, all over the country, for you may see them at the most fashionable summer resorts. Seize the chance and be in the swim.

Every Suit goes at

50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

no matter what the material. Fine Clay Worsteds, Serges, Cassimeres, Tweeds; any kind you fancy.

\$8 Suits are now.....	\$4.00
\$10 Suits are now.....	\$5.00
\$12 Suits are now.....	\$6.00
\$15 Suits are now.....	\$7.50
\$20 Suits are now.....	\$10.00
\$25 Suits are now.....	\$12.50

All Boys' and Children's Clothing at Half Price.

New York Clothing House,
311 Seventh St. N. W.

FEATHERS AND

Mattresses, steamed and remade—largest place in the District.

LINGER'S Wholesale and Retail Mattress Factory
1111 19th St. N. W.

Electric Fans

No suffering and inconvenience from hot weather when there's an electric fan nearby. Electric light is cooler than gas. Phone us about the current when you are ready.

U. S. Electric Lighting Co., 213 14th St. N. W. Phone, 77.

THE INDEPENDENT ICE CO. S yellow wagons deliver daily to all parts of the city and Mount Pleasant their superior quality of KENNEBEC ICE at lowest rates.

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WE CLEAN carpets thoroughly by our Dry Air method.

Finest work guaranteed, and we insure your carpets also while in our care.

EMPIRE CARPET CLEANING WORKS
631-635 Mass. Ave. 630-636 K St. N. W.

NO EXCUSE for not owning a good piano now.

Our remodeling sale reductions have created prices that almost everybody can afford to pay. Here are three of the bargains.

\$325 Whitney Piano, \$325
\$400 Albrecht Piano, \$395.
\$500 Hardman Piano, \$395.

METZEROTT MUSIC HALL. Steamship tickets via all lines to all parts of the world. The best made of pure spring water. Telephone, Office 1287 F. & A.

ICE STIGLITZ-HEALTHELI. THE HARDEST-TO-BEST MADE OF PURE SPRING WATER. Telephone, Office 1287 F. & A.

VICTOR E. ADLER

823, 925, 927, 929 7TH ST. N.W.
BIG BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY. THE GREATEST OF ALL CLOTHING SALES. MOST POPULAR CLOTHING HOUSE IN TOWN. AS THE SALE PROGRESSES, THE CROWDS INCREASE. HERE ARE SOME OF THE GOOD THINGS FOR TODAY.

Men's Clothes

Gray Striped and Dark Mixed Cassimere Suits. Former price, \$7. Sale price, \$3.50. Oxford Mixtures—suits which you may safely tie to. Former price, \$7.50. Sale price, \$3.98. ALL-WOOL CASSIMERES. Suits—cutaway frock coats, three and four-button sack coats. Former prices, \$14.25 to \$13.50 and \$10. Sale price, \$5.00.

Silk Mixed Cassimere Suits, \$6. Homespun and Navy Blue Suits, \$5.50. Harris Hair-line Suits, Blue and Black Cheviot Suits, \$9.75.

Beautiful Blue Serge Suits, diagonal weave. Former price, \$15. Sale price, \$7.50.

Incomparable are the lines of Cassimeres, Cheviots, Suetlands, Worsteds, Serges, Thibet Cloth and Tweed Suits at \$8.75, \$9.50, \$10.

Pantaloon.

Two and three pairs of a kind. Materials the finest. Former prices, \$7.75, \$7.50, \$7, \$6.75, \$6.50, \$6. Sale price, \$3.00.

Boys' Clothes.

Oxford Suits, always reliable, coat, vest and long pants. Sizes 14 to 19 years. Former price, \$6. Sale price, \$2.98. All-wool Tweed Suits, \$4. English Coats, \$4.50. Scotch Flairs, \$5.

SHORT-PANTS SUITS.....

Those at \$1 are one-half wool. Those at \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 are strictly all wool. Knee Pants, neat mixtures, 15c. Knee Pants, navy blue, 25c. Knee Pants, corduroy, 30c. In cutting attention to these EX-TRAORDINARY ATTRACTIONS we want to impress upon your minds the fact that the STYLES are all NEW, the goods DESIRABLE, and are being offered at HALF THE PRICES which formerly prevailed.

ADLER'S CORNER, 7TH ST. and MASS. AVE. N. W. STRICTLY ONE PRICE.

OFFICE COATS, 25c. On sale every morning from 7 to 10 o'clock.

THE RINK,

New York Ave., bet. 13th and 14th Sts.

will sell

TODAY and SATURDAY,

until 12 o'clock M., a Good Solid Oak

Chamber Suite,

including Woven-wire Spring, best Cotton-top Mattress, 2 Oak Cane-seat Chairs, 1 Oak Cane-seat Rocker and Solid Oak Table, 21x24 inch top, for

\$28.65

Worth \$41.50.

CASH or CREDIT.

The Bosom

is the only part of a shirt we starch. We don't starch the neckbands and give up the sleeves till you are liable to tear the shirt before you can get into it.

TOLMAN STEAM LAUNDRY, Sixth and C Streets N. W.

Sugar Reduced

5c.

We would call your very careful attention to our special sale on Best Franklin Granulated Sugar; there is no certainty of our price remaining so low as we are at present selling it. We would say this—on all orders taken today we will guarantee to fill at 5 cents, and you may leave orders to be delivered on any day during this week. Lay in your supply now for preserving, etc.

5 LBS. SUGAR FREE.

To each purchaser of one pound of 50-cent Granulated Tea, Oolong Tea or Best Mixed Tea we will give either 5 pounds of Best Granulated Sugar, or a 40-cent sack of Best Patent Flour.

To each purchaser of 2 pounds of 30-cent Java and Mocha Coffee will be given a Gold-band Cup, Saucer and Plate.

20c

Arbuckle's package coffee 20 cents per pound, is a worthy special and always in demand.

For today we have 300 boxes of Toilet Soap, each box containing three cakes. Several cents per box is the special price—usual price, 15 cents.

The California Evaporated Peaches will be 6 cents per pound.

The Oregon Prunes, 5 cents per pound, are particularly large and sweet. California Evap. Apples, large, bright goods, 10 cents per pound. Cal. Peeled Evap. Peaches, 10 cents per pound. These prices are just half their usual value.

12c

We have the finest assortment of Cakes—Honey Jumbles, Butter Scotch, Vanilla Wafers, &c.—12 cents per pound today. Cream Crackers, Soda Crackers, 5 cents per pound.

500 packages of Matches—one dozen boxes of 200 matches each in a box for 12 cents.

3,000 pounds of Sugar-cured Shoulders go today for 6 1/2 cents per pound.

6c

1,000 cans of Corned Beef for 10 cents per can. 3,000 cans of Potatoes and Tongue for 4 1/2 cents each.

5c

1,000 pounds of candy for 5 cents per pound. 3,000 sheets Sure Catch Fly Paper, 2 cents per large double sheet. Henderson's Wild Cherry for making the delicious wild cherry drink, 8 cents bottle. 25-cent bottles Leno's Root Beer for 15 cents.

The Baby Brand Condensed Milk, 10 cents per can. Star Brand Condensed Milk, 1 cents per can. 1,000 cans of Peaches, large 3-pound size, 7 cents each.

10c

Special sale of Lemons today. 2,000 dozens of Lemons in town for 10 cents per dozen.

2,500 cans Large Size Boston Baked Beans, 10 cents. 1,000 cans Picnic Size Baked Beans for 4 cents per can.

2c

Today we will sell the large 5-cent bags of Table Salt for 2 1/2 cents per bag. The large packages of Best Out, 7 cents each.

Our special Soap sale includes Star, Borax, Oatmeal and New Tariff Soap at the astonishingly low price of 3 cents per cake.

Johnstons,
729 7th St.